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Re Application of:

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Serial No.: 09/651,083

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For: INHALATION COMPOSITION CONTAINING LACTOSE PELLETS

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AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This is in response to the Official Action of March 22, 2001, in connection with the above-identified application.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please replace the first sentence with the following updated sentence.

Continuation of

This application is a ~~divisional~~ application of pending U.S. application serial number 08/702,700, filed September 13, 1996, now U.S. Patent 6,183,782, which is a 371 of PCT/EP95/00917, filed March 13, 1995.

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